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SUBJ: DOL INDUSTRIAL SAFETY SEMINAR

REF: KNIGHT OCTOBER 4 LETTER TO GOLDEN

1. DOL SUGGESTS THAT BY OMITTING REFERENCES TO OTHER COUNTRIES, OUTLINE ON "DEVELOPMENT OF A WORKER SAFETY PROGRAM" IS SUFFICIENT BASIS FOR APPROACHING MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS. REQUEST EMBASSY OBTAIN INPUT FROM MINISTRY OF LABOR, INDUSTRIAL SAFETY COUNCIL, OIL AND CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY REPRESENTATIVES AND ANY OTHER NIGERIAN INSTITUTIONS THAT WILL BE INVOLVED IN SEMINAR. THIS INPUT WILL ENABLE DOL TO FORMULATE MORE PRECISELY FOCUSED SEMINAR, TAILORED TO NIGERIAN NEEDS; AND ELIMINATE NEED FOR SEVERAL REVISIONS.

2. DOL WILL COMPLY EMBASSY REQUEST TO DIRECT SEMINAR TOWARD CONSTRUCTION AND OIL INDUSTRIES.

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3. FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE FOR PRESENTING SEMINAR IN BOTH LAGOS

AND KANO.

4. ACTIVE RECRUITMENT OF MISSION MEMBERS HAS BEGUN, INCLUDING REPRESENTATIVE FROM OIL AND CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRIES. MISSION MEMBERS WILL NEED INFO REQUESTED IN PARA 1. WILL PROVIDE BIO-DATA WHEN MISSION IS RECRUITED.

5. FEBRUARY 11-28 PROPOSED AS ACTUAL SEMINAR DATES. FEBRUARY 9 -14 FOR SEMINAR RELATED ACTIVITIES. ASSUME USIS BEING INFORMED OF SEMINAR PLANS

6. REQUEST EMBASSY COMMENTS RE ABOVE PROPOSALS ASAP. KISSINGER

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